

# ELEMENTS TAKE CALIFORNIA TOLL

## Farm Boy Confesses Double Murder At Connecticut

### RAIN, CYCLONE AND QUAKES HIT STATE; REPORT HEAVY LOSS

Wind Damages City Of Taft; Traffic Tragedies And  
Train Wrecks Blamed On Weather—Quakes  
Felt—Rivers High

Heavy rains, miniature cyclones, slight earthquakes, snowslides and thunder and lightning have visited various sections of California during the past twenty-four hours.

At least twenty-two persons have been killed as the direct result of the rains and snowslides.

Seven persons have been killed in Los Angeles in traffic accidents, the result of heavy rains.

Two members of the crew of a Union Pacific train were killed last night when the train plunged into a swollen creek, about fifteen miles from Los Angeles. Twenty passengers were injured, some of them critically.

The train plunged through a bridge weakened by the rains of the past three days.

Another accident took a toll of two lives near Congress, Ariz., when a Santa Fe train crashed into a boulder that had been washed down on the track. The engineer and fireman were killed.

A snowslide at the construction camp on the Deep Creek tunnel project of the Southern California Edison Company, seventy-five miles northeast of Fresno, exacted another heavy toll. Eleven men are known to have been killed and others are thought to have met the same fate, according to belated advices received here today. Relief parties have been sent to the isolated camp in the Sierra Nevada mountains.

The city of Taft suffered heavy damage yesterday when a high wind ripped through the city, stripping buildings of roofs and causing citizens to seek shelter from flying debris. Trees were uprooted and radio aerials smashed to bits by the gale. Several persons suffered minor injuries.

A slight earthquake was registered at Salinas yesterday. It caused no damage. The tremor was also felt in Santa Cruz and other points on the coast as well as Hollister inland and as far north as Oakland.

With the rains still continuing today, fear is felt that considerable damage may result from overflowing rivers.

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### ALLA ANSWERS QUESTIONS

FOUR SKULLS START MURDER MYSTERY PROBE.



"Get my trunk. They might find something else and if they do I'm through forever." This note from James H. Coyner, war veteran, serving a sentence at Michigan City, Ind., penitentiary, for grave-robbing, has started Oakland county, Mich., authorities on a new trail in their efforts to solve the mystery of four skulls found in Coyner's former home in Royal Oak. Photos show the skulls, a detective searching the trunk in which they were found, and the Coyner house.

### MYSTERY MAN GIVES SOLUTIONS OF MANY PUZZLING QUERIES

Missing Ring Left In Suit  
Sent To Dry Clean-  
ers, He Says

Alla Ragh, "mystery man," appearing at The Bijou Theater, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, delved into mysteries troubling the minds of readers of The Evening Gazette and The Morning Republican, Wednesday.

Have you Alla Ragh's answers to questions put to him in letters received so far?

Mrs. H. K. R. — Haven't heard from my brother for five years. Is he dead or alive and where can I find him?

Ans.—Your brother is alive and well. Get in touch with him at 1826 Wesley Ave., Newark, N. J.

A. H. M. — Lost or mislaid, a diamond ring. Can you please tell me something of it?

Ans.—Yes, I can locate the ring for you. Your ring was in the vest pocket of the gray suit which you sent to the dry cleaners last week.

The ring was found by them and is now in their possession, but they do not know to whom it belongs. Go to them and identify same.

Mary B. — Will I marry the young man I am keeping company with?

Ans.—Yes, I believe you will. The crystal reveals a marriage in November or December of this year. He will make you an excellent husband.

Dessie Miller — Will Mother ever regain her health and get well?

Ans.—I see some improvement in your mother's condition but she will never entirely recover.

W. S. T. — Who stole the money and clothing from my room?

Ans.—Sorry! But the state laws of Ohio forbid me to give information publicly in regard to crime or theft.

Colored Gazette Reader — Do my sweetie love me?

Ans.—Yes, I am sure William loves you, but it seems to me he also loves many others too.

Martha G. — Is my husband running around with other women. If so give me their names.

Ans.—Your suspicions correct. He is not true, however, I would not care to divulge names here. See me at the special matinee for ladies only Friday morning.

H. M. C. — In what line of work should I specialize?

Ans.—Send me the year, month and hour of your birth, together with a stamped, self-addressed envelope and I will send you free of charge an Astro-Analysis which will reveal your true vocation. I am always glad to be of service to Gazette readers.

Curious — I am wondering if you can tell me if my old skull will ever amount to anything.

Ans.—The crystal reveals that your old skull is quite worthless. Be more careful next time.

Dear Mystery Man — I lost my pussy cat a few days ago. Please, please find her for me.

Ans.—Your cat was run over by a motor car yesterday.

Peggy B. — Can you please tell me what time place he was struck with blood poisoning in his left arm, Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, was up and about today.

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ALLA RAGH will broadcast Tuesday and Friday of next week from Station WAU, Columbus, O. He will predict coming events of national importance and invites all Gazette readers to tune in.

DEMPSEY BETTER  
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 16.—For the first time since he was struck with blood poisoning in his left arm, Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, was up and about today.

### ELEVEN CRUSHED TO DEATH IN SNOWSLIDE OVER MOUNTAIN SIDE

Avalanche Of Snow Engulfs Construction Camp,  
Crushing Cabins—Twenty-one Injured—Sec-  
ond Slide Catches Rescuers

FRESNO, Cal., Feb. 16.—Eleven persons, including one woman, were killed, twenty-one were injured and three are missing following a snowslide which thundered down the Sierra Nevada mountains and engulfed a construction camp of the Southern California Edison Company, according to word received here today.

The construction camp is located about seventy-five miles northeast of here, at an altitude of 7,000 feet.

The snow loosened by recent heavy rains cascaded down the mountain side and killed ten persons outright and injured eleven others. While a rescue party was attempting to aid the stricken, a second slide came hurtling down and killed one more and injured ten others.

While the morning crew was at that Mrs. C. J. Pattison, wife of the camp electrician foreman, lost her life.

While the rescue parties were working to recover the bodies of the dead and to administer to the injured, a second slide occurred.

It followed in the path of the first one although of not such great proportions. Most of the rescue party managed to scramble from the path of the second avalanche. One man however, was killed and ten others were injured.

Five bodies had been recovered at midnight. Five others were known to be dead, and three others were missing. Those missing, it is feared, are also buried beneath the huge slide.

The known dead are: W. J. Harvey, electrician; Fred Albert, tunnel pumpman; William P. Lutes, truckman; G. B. Holik, truck tender; G. Valero, truckman.

Others known to be dead but whose bodies are still buried are: Mrs. J. C. Pattison; P. S. Brady, camp barber; William P. Nelson, powderman; F. Finn, caretaker; R. B. Arnt, mucker; J. C. Pattison, camp electrical foreman.

Those reported missing and believed dead are: J. Waloves, truck tender; A. B. Quirt, truck tender; E. Voigard, truck tender.

Those killed and injured in the avalanche were working on a hydro-electric power project of the Southern California Edison Company. About 250 men were employed at the camp.

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 16.—"Cut wages or go home."

This ultimatum was delivered to the miners today by the operators assembled here for the joint wage conference of the central bituminous fields.

It was the owners' answer to the miners' refusal to accept a wage cut, or substitute a sliding scale for the existing arbitrary rate of \$7.50 a day for the union mines in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

The operators have adopted a take it or leave it attitude on their plan to set up a joint wage arbitration commission to readjust pay to meet the lower scale in the non-union districts of West Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee. In effect, the plan probably would result in an immediate decrease as the West Virginia average scale is about \$2.50 a day lower than the union schedule. In the long run, operators declared, the pay probably would go up, even higher than today if the central fields were given temporary relief to meet the non-union competition.

Union leaders mustered full forces to defeat the operators' plan. With an unqualified rejection of the proposition the Miami negotiations are almost certain to fail, and it is almost as certain that if the operators withdraw, the sessions will be resumed in the north far enough in advance of March 31, when the present contract expires, to give an opportunity to reconcile differences and prevent a strike.

REPORT TAX BILLS  
OUT OF COMMITTEE

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 16.—Bills which are expected as laws, to increase the state's revenues more than \$3,000,000 a year, are scheduled to be reported out today by the senate taxation committee with recommendations that they be passed. These measures are the Kunkler bill, increasing the excise tax from 1.2 to 1.5 per cent, and the Aigler bill, raising the corporation franchise tax to three-twentieths of one per cent from one-twelfth of one per cent.

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### AMERICA TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TO BRING ABOUT DISARMAMENT

French Rejection Serious Blow To Plans, Admitted—  
Little Faith In Success Of Discussions At Geneva

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The American government will continue its efforts to obtain an agreement with the great powers limiting auxiliary naval craft, notwithstanding that such efforts have been almost futile in the light of France's refusal to make Geneva the place of definite action next month.

France's note of rejection was being studied today. It seemed to afford but little hope of any concrete success in the near future toward further naval disarmament.

Indeed, Secretary of State Kellogg characterized it indirectly as "striking a serious blow at the whole cause of disarmament." Future moves on the part of this government, if any, will, however, await the receipt of replies from Great Britain, Italy and Japan, the other powers addressed last week.

In no official quarter in Washington is there any hope of the Geneva conference accomplishing anything real in the way of disarmament, despite the expression of lofty hopes in the French note that the Geneva gathering is working toward the same goal as President Coolidge proposed.

The Geneva conference, it was pointed out today, has been "disarming" armament for almost a year now without making any progress discernible to the naked eye. France and her small continental allies, most of which have no navies, constitute a majority in the conference. They have effectively scuttled every concrete proposal advanced by the American and British delegates, just as France has now scuttled the American government's effort to get some definite action.

"In other words," ironically observed one high official today, "France refuses to join with other powers in disarming because it might interfere with the talk of disarming." All the Geneva conference has done to date is talk, and that is all it will ever do, in all probability.

Discussions of possible agreements between the other naval powers, leaving France outside, have been largely theoretical.

RUEDNER WITNESSES  
ARRESTED BUT SENT  
TO TESTIFY IN CASE

State Given Delay Per-  
mission To Wait Com-  
ing Of Pair

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 16.—Dan Pfaff and Stanley Slagle, important witnesses in the Rudner trial at Canton, who were arrested as the alleged operators of an "apartment saloon," here today, left at 10 o'clock this morning for Canton.

District Attorney A. E. Bernstein refused to have charges of conspiracy to violate the federal liquor laws placed against the men, so that state officers could take them to Canton immediately, to testify in the Rudner trial.

State Probation Inspector Wilcox had the men in charge.

CANTON, O., Feb. 16.—Trial of Ben Rudner, Massillon, charged with first degree murder in connection with the killing of Don Mellett, Canton publisher, was delayed today following motion of state counsel for adjournment.

The motion was granted and court adjourned shortly after ten o'clock, until 1 p. m.

The state asked indulgence of the court, in view of the fact that two important witnesses were absent.

When I got into trouble be-

### FIGHTING BETWEEN NORTHERN TROOPS REPORTED IN CHINA

British Forces Are Limited To 4,000 By  
New Order

HONGKONG, Feb. 16.—Fighting has broken out in Shansi between two divisions of northern troops according to reports received here.

One division is reported to have attempted to loot a town and the other division attacked it in order to check the looting.

Northern troops are concentrating at Anhui, advancing from Chang Chow.

A Chinese gunboat attempted to search an Italian gunboat, the Ermanne Carlotta, at Kukiang, charging that it was a Russian vessel.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16.—British armed forces stationed at Shanghai will be limited, for the time being to 4,000, the commissioner-general of the municipal council announced today.

This total was reached today with the arrival of the transport Sirdhana with two battalions of Punjab troops and a battalion of the Suffolk regiment, from India. The soldiers enroute from England will disembark at Hongkong, Singapore and other British military stations along the way.

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SALE DATES RESERVED  
Feb. 17.—G. M. Barnett.  
Feb. 18.—Mrs. N. Fulkerson.  
Feb. 23.—W. J. Cherry.  
Feb. 24.—O. A. Dobbins.  
Mar. 4.—Ralph Funderburgh.

PAIR ARRESTED  
CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 16.—Edward Workman Newport, Ky., and Len Morris, of this city, were being held by police today in connection with the theft of an automobile in Dayton, O. The two men were detained after being recognized by Detectives Gross and Gaylor, of Dayton, here yesterday.

PAIR ARRESTED

ASK INDICTMENTS  
QUASHED BY COURT  
ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 16.—Insufficient evidence is alleged by George K. Browning and R. Y. White, Standard Securities Company officials, in their motion today to quash indictments returned against them for alleged irregularities in the conduct of their business.

Three indictments against Browning and four against White, were returned two weeks ago, charging violation of the blue sky laws. The men are at liberty under \$7,000 and \$4,000 bond respectively. Meanwhile company auditors are examining the books, following reports of state examiners.

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# COOLIDGE THIRD TERM AT STAKE IN ACTION ON FARM RELIEF BILL

By FREDERIC WILLIAM WILE  
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WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Coolidge, by senate passage of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, has now been hoisted to one horn of the dilemma which he will



NEWEST PICTURE OF CALVIN COOLIDGE

be astride completely within another week. He will be on the other horn as soon as the house follows the senate's lead and passes the surplus farm products legislation proposition for which embittered and embattled agriculture has fought for five persistent years.



CHARLES L. McNARY

Friend and foe alike concede that Calvin Coolidge is face to face with probably the supreme political crisis of his career. His supposed aspirations to succeed himself in the presidency will be vitally affected by his approval or disapproval of the farm bill. If he signs

main master in his own administrative house. There would be strategy in vetoing the farm bill for such a reason. The president could invoke it without going directly on record against the merits of the proposition itself. The senate which rejected a McNary-Haugen bill last June by 45 to 39, passed it on Feb. 11 by 47 to 39. The recent majority was substantial but Sen. McNary and To override a veto, two-thirds of that margin is far from indicating the senate's readiness to re-pass the bill over a Coolidge veto. A vote of some sixty or seventy would be required—fifteen or sixteen more than were mustered last week.

A somewhat similar situation exists in the House of Representatives. Passage of the McNary-Haugen bill is certain to command an impressive majority there. But, as in the senate, there is little or no prospect that it will approximate a two-thirds majority. No development in recent years has been so loaded with political dynamite. The shadow of former Governor Frank O. Lowden left no doubt of his determination to wade into the 1928 presidential fray when, on the eve of the senate vote he telegraphed his farm supporters in Washington that the administration substitute for the McNary-Haugen bill (the Curtis-Crisp measure) was nothing that agriculture could afford to accept.

## ON THE AIR FROM CINCINNATI

Station WSAI:  
6:15 p. m.—Dan Dugan's Melody Boys.  
7:00—"Mrs. Dumbly." Carol Brown.  
7:15—chime concert.  
7:30—U. S. Army Band concert.  
8:00—popular piano numbers, Lola Bruce Smith and Fred Van Epps, banjo soloist.  
8:30—saxophone octet, New York.  
9:00—New York Troubadours.  
9:30—Eddie Schaefer, pianist and Alida Hawaiian entertainers.  
10:00—New York entertainers.  
10:30—Charles H. Partington, accordion and Billy Huber, barytone.  
11:00—Thel's orchestra.  
Station WLW:  
7:00 p. m.—Hotel Gibson orchestra and farm talk.  
7:30—address, Paul P. Harris, president emeritus of International Rotary.  
10:00—studio novelties.  
11:00—Johanna Grosse, organist and Castle Farm dance.  
Station WKRC:  
6:00 p. m.—Jack Tilsen's Seven Knights.  
8:25—Ethel Knapp Behrman, children's stories.  
8:00—book review.  
8:15—Roehr's orchestra.  
9:00—Esberger's orchestra.

## Dodge people who have Colds

Colds are caught by breathing germs. People with colds spread those germs by sneezing, coughing, talking. Keep away. If you catch a cold, take HILL'S as quickly as you can. If you are prompt, the cold may never develop. If it does, HILL'S will check it in twenty-four hours. HILL'S is the greatest help known for colds. It combines four modern discoveries. It is so efficient, so well-proved that we paid \$1,000,000 for it. HILL'S does all things at once. It stops the cold, checks the fever, opens the bowels, tones the entire system. Millions know its amazing power. Use it promptly. Keep it ever ready. Don't rely on lesser help for colds.

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## FASHION'S SPRING AND SUMMER DICTATES TOLD BY EXPERT

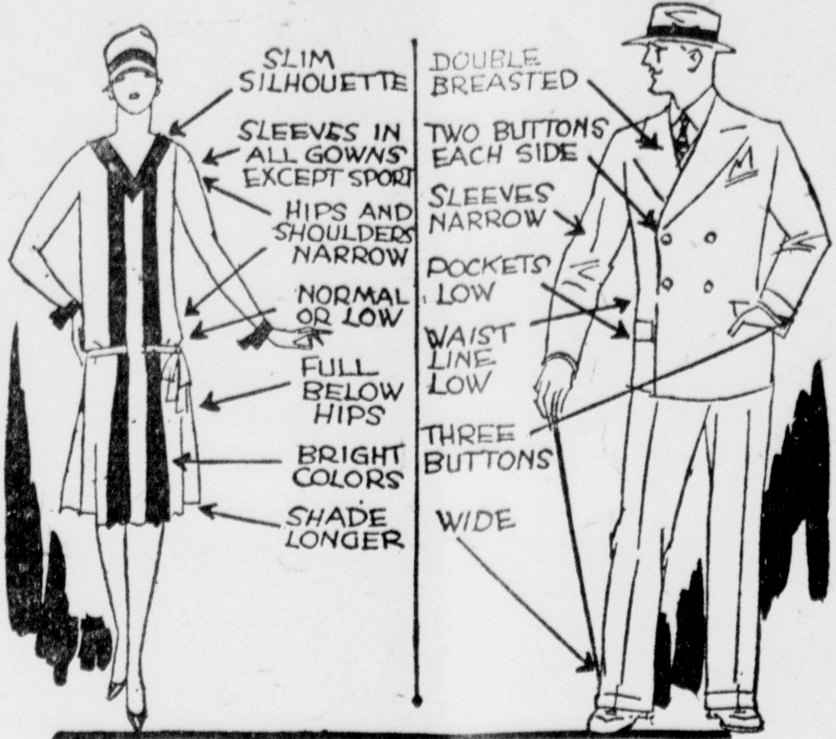
BY BASIL WOON

Author of "The Paris That's Not In The Guidebooks" and Correspondent For The Daily Gazette and Republican

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Here are the absolute dictates of fashion for this Spring and Summer according to the very latest revelations of dressmakers and tailors:

### WOMEN

1. Slim silhouette remains with youthful lines stressed.
2. Skirts shade longer for all except sport clothes, when they are shorter by half an inch.
3. Waistline either normal or low.
4. All gowns except sport frocks have sleeves.
5. Hips and shoulders to be snug and narrow.
6. Skirts full below hips only.
7. Everything embroidered.
8. Fur is fashionable as trimming, especially ermine for evening gowns.
9. Skirts are often pleated at the back.
10. Bright colors remain. Plaids for morning wear. White permissible for evening.



### MEN

1. Trousers remain wide.
2. Double-breasted coat with two buttons on each side very smart for summer.
3. Lapels rather wider than last year, cut square except in double-breasted.
4. Three buttons on sleeves.
5. Sleeves narrow; should just fit cuff.
6. Waistcoats with seven or six buttons, cut longer and deeper.
7. Pockets will be placed low.
8. Waistline low and not too much of it.
9. Dinner jackets may be made of dark blue, dark gray or dark purple, with black silk facings.
10. Stiff-bosomed shirts only for dress wear, with one pearl button for dinner coats and two pearl buttons for full dress. Colored shirts with soft collars remain smart for day wear except with formal dress.

## THE INCOME TAX INSIDE OUT

By FRED R. RIPLEY  
Final Article of a Series.

In the case of an individual the tax is to be reduced by twenty-five per cent of the amount of the tax which would be payable if his net "earned income" constituted his entire net income. (For the meaning of the term, "earned income," see the previous article of this series.)

But in no case shall this credit exceed twenty-five per cent of his normal tax computed in the ordinary manner plus twenty-five per cent of the surplus which would be payable if his earned net income constituted his entire net income.

The limitation is applicable in cases where there is a loss, and the earned net income is greater than the taxable net income.

In the case of a married man with no dependents who has an "earned net income" of \$7,000, and other income of \$1,500, making a total net income of \$8,500, the total tax, computed at the ordinary normal tax and surtax rates would be \$90.

The tax at the same rates on the earned net income of \$7,000 would be \$52.50. The credit allowed would be twenty-five per cent of \$32.50 or \$8.12, which, deducted from \$90, leaves \$81.88 as the total tax payable.

Ordinarily, in a case where the entire net income of an individual is earned net income, and the amount thereof is not over \$20,000, the procedure would simply be to compute the tax thereon at the usual rates, and then to deduct the

twenty-five per cent thereof.

If the commissioner of internal revenue determines that there is a deficiency in taxes in the case of any taxpayer, a notice of such deficiency is sent to the taxpayer by registered mail. Within sixty days after such notice is mailed (not counting Sunday as the sixtieth day), the taxpayer may file a petition with the board of tax appeals for a redetermination of the deficiency. Except in certain cases involving jeopardy assessments, the deficiency cannot be assessed or collected before the expiration of the sixty-day period, nor if the

## SULPHUR IS BEST TO CLEAR SKIN

Any breaking out or skin irritation on face, neck or body is overcome quickest by applying Menthosulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation that instantly brings ease from the itching, burning and irritation.

Menthosulphur heals eczema right up, leaving the skin clear and smooth. It seldom fails to relieve the torment or disfigurement. A little jar of Rowles Menthosulphur may be obtained at any drug store. It is used like cold cream. —Adv.

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fixtures made by

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Thursday, February 17th, 1927

14—HEAD OF CATTLE—14

Guernsey Cow, 5 years old, was fresh in November, giving 4 gallons a day. Guernsey, 5, in flow of milk, to freshen first of April. Guernsey, carrying 4th calf, to freshen by day of sale. Holstein-Jersey, 7, calf by side, giving 5 gallons a day. Guernsey-Jersey, 2nd calf by side, giving 3 1/2 gallons a day. Jersey-Holstein, 4, was fresh in December, giving 4 gallons a day. Jersey-Guernsey, 2, was fresh in December, giving 3 gallons a day. Guernsey-Jersey, 1st calf by side. Jersey-Guernsey, carrying 3rd calf, to freshen by day of sale. Jersey-Guernsey, carrying 1st calf, to freshen this month. Jersey Heifer, to freshen in June. An extra good lot of young dairy cattle. Guernsey Heifer, 10 months old. Guernsey Heifer, 4 months old. Guernsey Bull, year old.

10—IMMUNED HOGS—10

4 Brood Sows, with pigs by side. 6 Shoats, wt. 100 lbs. each.

FEED—300 bu. of Good Corn.

### FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Wagon with Ladders, P. and O. Corn Plow, new. McCormick Mower, 6ft. cut. Deering Binder, 7ft. cut. Wooden Hay Rake. 2 Walking Breaking Plows. 2 Harrows. Road Cart. Self-Feeder. 3 Hog Boxes. Double and Single Trees. Many other articles.

HARNESS—2 Sides of Work Harness. Collars, Bridles, Lines Etc.

TERMS—Made Known on Day of Sale.

G. M. BARNETT

Col. Carl Taylor, Auct. T. C. Long, Clerk.  
Lunch by Ladies of Mt. Tabor Church

pay the correct amount was due to negligence, a penalty of five per cent of the additional assessment is added. If there was fraud, this penalty is increased fifty per cent. If the taxpayer can show to the satisfaction of the commissioner of internal revenue that the payment of a deficiency in tax upon the date prescribed for the payment thereof will result in undue hardship to the taxpayer, the commissioner may grant an extension of time for the payment of such deficiency for a period not in excess of eighteen months.

### THE END

## DR. MESSENGER TO HEAD CAMP DRIVE

Dr. Harold C. Messenger, Xenia physician, has been appointed Greene County Chairman for enrollment in the Civilian Military Training Camps. It was announced

Tuesday. Dr. Messenger was Greene County chairman last year. A quota of eighteen recruits for the camps has been assigned Greene County. Dr. Messenger was able to fill the quota of fifteen last year. Young men from seventeen to twenty-eight years will be enrolled to military training at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Fort Thomas, and Camp Knox.

### ELEAZER

Mrs. Mae Bickford attended the funeral of her aunt, at Dayton last Tuesday. The members of Eleazer Church will hold their monthly covered dish social Thursday evening. Miss Grace Middleton, who is attending Wilmington College, spent the week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkner entertained a few of their friends at a chicken roast Monday night. Mrs. Wilbur Smith will spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hurley, who is ill with eczema.



## Druggist Gave Her Advice

Miss Ruth Horowitz, Bronx, N. Y., writes: "Having been troubled with indigestion caused by constipation for several months, my druggist advised me to try CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. He said they are good for a hundred different ailments, if people only knew the value of them. I can safely say that since I am taking them, and only one each night, I feel like myself again and can eat most anything." Those who suffer from sick headache, indigestion, biliousness, tired-out and aches feeling, when due to constipation, will find relief in taking CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS in red packages, 25c. and 75c. Try them to-night—To-morrow refreshed—All druggists.

## Studebaker's 75th Birthday Announcement

# Sweeping Price Reductions

The Commander, Studebaker's  
Big Six Brougham, reduced

# \$200

Today—February 16, 1927—Studebaker celebrates its seventy-fifth birthday with price reductions which reflect the aggressive spirit of this Company.

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As Studebaker leads in design, so does it also lead in value. The new prices quoted below represent a supreme triumph of One-Profit manufacture.

## New Prices, Studebaker Cars

Effective February 16, 1927

	Old Price	New Price	Saving
Sport Roadster . . . .	\$1250	<b>\$1195</b>	\$ 55
Custom Victoria. . . .	\$1335	<b>\$1325</b>	\$ 10
Custom Sedan . . . .	\$1385	<b>\$1335</b>	\$ 50
The Chancellor (Big Six Victoria) . . . .	\$1735	<b>\$1645</b>	\$ 90
The Commander (Big Six Brougham) . . . .	\$1785	<b>\$1585</b>	\$200
The Sheriff (Big Six Phaeton) . . . .	\$1610	<b>\$1445</b>	\$165
Big Six Sport Roadster (for 4) . . . .	\$1680	<b>\$1495</b>	\$185

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

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## INTERESTING MEETING

## OF SPRING HILL P.T. A.

Tentative plans for the county P.T. A. convention at Central High School on Thursday of next week were outlined by Mrs. E. P. Hamlin for the benefit of the sixty-five members of Spring Hill P.T. A. at the Spring Hill School, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Yeakley gave a report of the District Convention held in Dayton. It was arranged to have the next meeting on the evening of March 14, in honor of the fact that a covered dish dinner will be served at 6:30 and the meeting to begin at 7:30.

The ways and means committee reported about fifteen dollars realized from the market recently held by the organization. An interesting program was given by the children of the school.

As February 17 is the thirtieth anniversary of the P.T. A., a huge cake bearing thirty candles was placed on the stage and a pageant entitled "The Gift Bearers" was given as each child gave their part of the P.T. A. work, they lighted a candle on the cake.

Other parts of the program were related to Washington and Lincoln birthdays and Valentine's Day. Following the meeting a miscellaneous "show" was held for Mrs. Edward Keenan (Esther Welch) second grade teacher at Spring Hill.

## PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

## FEATURES CLUB MEETING.

The most pleasant meeting in the recollection of members of the Home Culture Club, of Cedarville, was that held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Hartman, in that village. The gathering marked the first "guest day" in the club's long organization and was attended by sixty women.

Mrs. S. C. Wright, this city, read a paper on Washington's home life, and Mrs. Cora Trumbo discussed Lincoln's domestic life in an equally interesting paper. Mrs. Margaret Milroy gave a short story from the life of Lincoln and roll call was answered with quotations from the life stories of Washington and Lincoln.

The Rev. and Mrs. Mills who are conducting evangelistic services in Cedarville, attended the meeting, and gave several musical numbers. Mrs. J. W. Johnson sang "The Old Fashioned Garden" which was highly appreciated.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program, in keeping with the party's appointments.

## MUSIC AND PAPERS

## ON J. W. CLUB PROGRAM

A combined musical and musical program was afforded members of the Junior Woman's Club, at the home of Mrs. W. R. Harner, Church and King Sts., Tuesday afternoon. Miss Bess Fulton read the first paper on "Pioneer, Colonial and Racial Types Portrayed in the American Novel", as part of the program of "The Spirit of Realism."

Mrs. Arthur Perrill read the second paper on "The Rise of the Nature Lover in Literature." An unusually interesting paper on "Well Known Songs and Their Composers" was given by Mrs. W. H. McGervy, who illustrated her subject by singing compositions of the authors she listed. Several songs were also given as part of the subject, by Mrs. Meda Gowdy, Mrs. Steele Poague, Miss Florence Steele, Mrs. Graham Bryson and Mrs. Arthur Perrill.

Mrs. J. Robert Bryson and Miss Margaret Steele played the piano accompaniment.

## VALENTINE PARTY

## OF LUTHERAN CLASSES.

The Sunday School room of the First Lutheran Church was the joyful scene of a Valentine party Tuesday evening. Those who enjoyed the affair were the "Lamp-lighters" directed by Miss Haley Strider and the "Torchbearers," by Miss Edna Mellage. These are divisions of the "Light Brigade," No. 656, Xenia.

The Valentine party is given each year and this is the first party attended by both "Lamp-lighters" and "Torchbearers." About forty-five youngsters were present and were delighted with a huge Valentine box filled with an assortment of mail.

Later, dainty refreshments were served and the Rev. C. E. Englehardt, pastor, extended a hearty invitation to the youngsters to attend the Lutheran Sunday School.

## O. E. S. MEMBERS ARE

## RECEIVED TUESDAY EVE.

Sixty persons enjoyed a pleasant time Tuesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hughey opened their new home on Dayton Ave., for the February meeting of Aldora Chapter, O. E. S. The home was prettily decorated with red hearts and flowers.

Cards, contests and a Valentine box furnished pleasure and fun for all. Mr. Edward Meahl, Mrs. Howard Norris and Mrs. W. E. Swabb won contest prizes.

Delicious refreshments were served by the committee with a special table for the children.

Mrs. Mollie Flatter, Yellow Springs, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Flatter and family, Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stevenson, Cottage Grove Ave., are announcing the birth of a son, Feb. 13.

All officers and members of Pride of Xenia Council, Daughters of America, are requested to meet Thursday evening for business of importance and team practice.

Mrs. Myrtle Turner, Mrs. Clara Smith and Mrs. Edith Brown will be hostesses to D. of P. Thimble Club, at the Red Men's Hall, Friday afternoon. All members are asked to bring quotations of Washington.

## CRAIG COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING HELD

Prof. D. H. Barnes gave the main address of the evening on "Patriotism and our Public Schools" when Craig Community Club held the regular monthly meeting at the Craig School, Spring Valley Two, Monday evening. He emphasized many principles established in the lives of Washington, Lincoln and Edison and the need of better schools "with teachers who know the subject-matter taught before attending 'method of teaching'."

Miss Irma Evans, teacher of the school presided. The Spring Valley Two high school orchestra furnished music for the occasion. The orchestra is composed of Ernest Smith, Ervin Harner, Lena Beam, Elizabeth Evans and Norma Gaddis.

A solo rendered by Miss Martha Beam was well received. Mr. H. S. Nozle gave an illustrated talk on corn in which he proved that a far greater yield per acre can be produced by the average farmer.

After Prof. Barnes' address, the distribution of Valentines from the box specially arranged, furnished much amusement for the children and old ones. A social time followed when ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The club holds meetings once each month.

The next meeting will be in charge of the women.

## LINEN "SHOWER" FOR MISS RYAN ON TUESDAY

Miss Lenora Ryan, bride-elect of Dr. Thomas Kennedy, Cleveland, was again feted Tuesday evening, when Miss Katherine Kelble entertained with a card party and linen "shower" at her home on W. Second St.

Three tables of five hundred were in play during the evening. Miss Henrietta Beyke won the score prize which she presented Miss Ryan. Miss Kelble also presented the honor guest with a gift. The array of linen remembrances was tied to a miniature cherry tree and Miss Ryan was given a tiny red hatchet with which she severed the gifts from the tree. The unique arrangement was one of several Washington birthday appointments carried out by Miss Kelble for the party.

A delicious luncheon was served late in the evening.

## AFTERNOON PARTY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Roy Hull, Dayton Ave., entertained several children Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Jean's fourth birthday. Valentine decorations were used and a Valentine box and games were enjoyed by the children.

Jean's guests included: Dorothy and Marie Brill, Nannette Lampert, Norma Jones, Martha Jane Hughey, Jesse Weingart, Warren Matson, and Vernon Hull. Jean received many nice gifts. The mothers who accompanied their young ones to the party were Mrs. C. Matson, Mrs. H. Brill, Mrs. B. L. Hughey and Jean's grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Warner. Mrs. Hughey assisted Mrs. Hull in serving delicious refreshments.

## FAREWELL SURPRISE GIVEN MONDAY EVENING

Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Kennon, who are moving from Spring Valley to a farm near Cedarville, this week, were tendered a pleasant surprise by about sixty neighbors and friends at their home Monday evening.

The self-invited guests brought their own refreshments of ice cream and cake and an enjoyable social time was spent together. Dr. Kennon, who has been a veterinarian in Spring Valley several years, has given up his practice to take up farming.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS ENTERTAIN FAMILIES

The families of the Pythian Sisters were the guests of the local order at a 6 o'clock banquet at the K. of P. Hall, Tuesday evening. The table with its Valentine decorations, presented a very attractive appearance.

A clever contest completed the pleasant affair, with Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Charles Cross, Mr. Bert Taylor, and Mr. Lawrence Ball, as prize winners.

## CARD CLUB MEMBERS GUESTS ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Charles Carroll graciously entertained members of her five hundred club at her home on N. West St., Tuesday afternoon. A tempting luncheon served at 1 o'clock, followed by three tables of cards.

Mrs. Ed Lampert and Mrs. Carroll won score prizes.

Xenia Lodge, No. 49, F. and A. M. will confer the Master Mason degree on two candidates Friday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock. A banquet will follow the work and all members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Viola Pitzer, 21 Xenia Ave., has been confined to her bed the past week but is recovering.

## GIRLS!

If the face powder you now use does not stay on long enough to suit you—does not keep that ugly shine away indefinitely—does not make your skin colorful like a peach—try this new wonderful special French Process Face Powder called MELLO-GLO. Remember the name MELLO-GLO. There's nothing like it—Hutchinson & Gibney. —Adv.

## Entertainment

By Men of Gladly Community Club

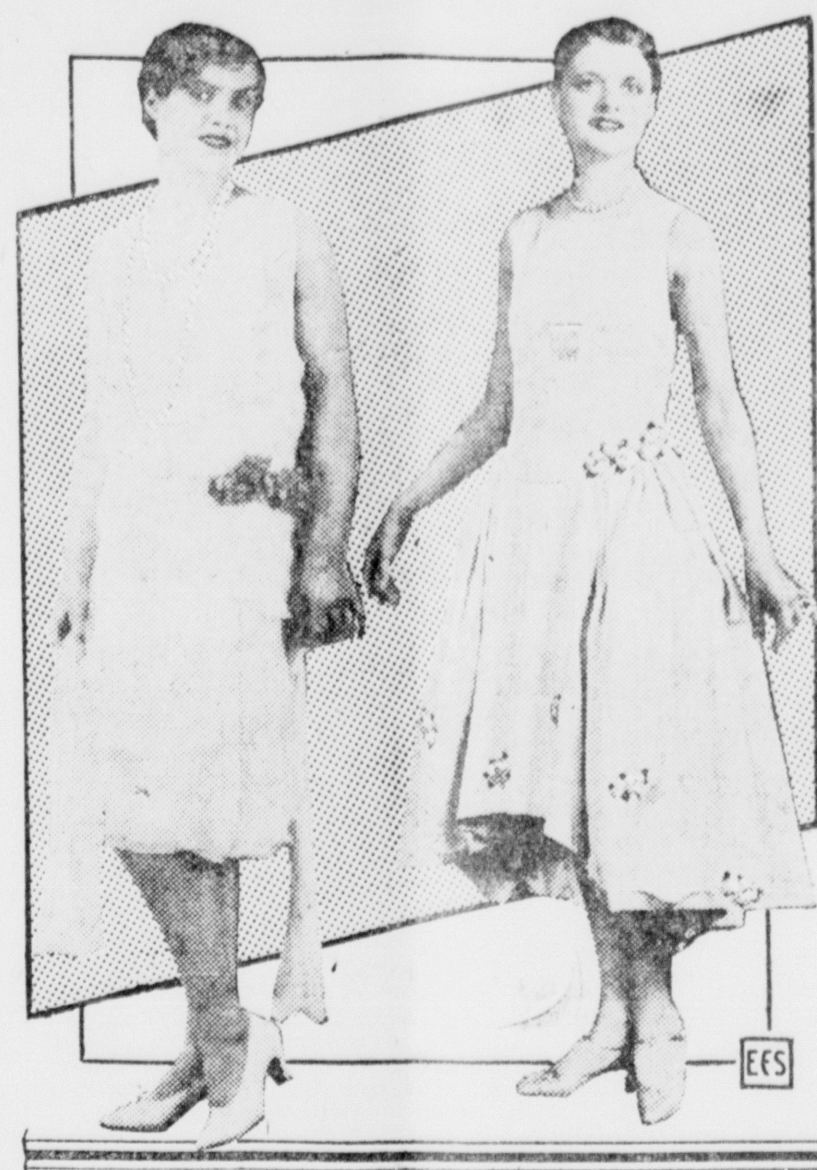
Community House

Friday, Feb. 18, 1927

8:15 p. m. Admission

10c and 20c

## WHAT to WEAR and How to WEAR IT



By LUCY CLAIRE

Favorite Fashion Adviser of the Smart Set

Recently I explained to you the significance of silhouette—or the outside line of a garment, and today I am taking up the two most extreme examples, both of which are being shown for the evening mode.

Let us take, first, the bouffant frock shown at the left. This is frequently spoken of as the period gown since it takes inspiration from costumes worn through several centuries. You will realize that this type of frock demands a crisp stiff material that will hold the bouffant lines of the skirt and yet the effect must seem soft and natural. Taffeta is about the only material adapted to this treatment and some of the changeable effects and sheens on the new taffetas are lovely.

This frock is quite short and plain in front. As the fullness over the hips increases, the hem line becomes longer, oftentimes almost reaching the ankles directly in back. The bodice is plain and close fitting, dropping slightly in the front and back as it crosses the plain panels. This particular dress is made of a pearly pink taffeta with tiny clusters of hand-made ribbon flowers scattered about the skirt.

You will observe that this type of dress is most assuredly made for the tall woman whose height is sufficient to carry this length of skirt and quantity of material. The bodice is so severely plain that her head and neck are brought out in sharp relief and is consequently demands a well poised head and graceful sloping neck line. But I am not forgetting the many charming and smart styles that are

## MAYOR'S COURT

## SPEEDERS CAUGHT

Four motorists were placed under arrest this week by Peter Shagin, motorcycle policeman, on charges of speeding.

Warren Drake, Springfield, O., and E. T. Campbell, Washington, C. H., arrested Tuesday, each posted \$5 appearance bond and forfeited it by failing to appear in court.

Don Rayburn was fined \$1 and costs totaling about \$8.50 and a bond of \$10 furnished by Ray Allen was also declared forfeited when he failed to appear.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Swindler and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Beam returned home Monday from Peru, Ind., where they attended the funeral Saturday of a cousin, Mrs. Charles Shively, who before marriage was Miss Ione Swindler, daughter of Mr. Jordan Swindler, former resident of Greene County.

Woman's Home Missionary Society, Trinity M. E. Church, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Lester Baeh, 214 Church St., Friday afternoon, Feb. 18, at 2 p. m. This is the "love-gift" offering and every member is urged to attend.

A called meeting of Joseph P. Foody Post, No. 95, American Legion, will be held in G. A. R. Post Hall, Court House, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

Mr. Raymond Hodge, Allison Ave., who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, is recuperating nicely.

Mrs. Fred Fisher is entertaining her card club at her home on W. Second St., Thursday. A covered dish luncheon will be enjoyed, followed by cards. Mrs. Foster Clemmer is entertaining the same club at her home next Monday afternoon, for three tables of cards.

Mrs. Charles Atkinson was removed to her home in the Maple Corner neighborhood Wednesday, from the Espey Hospital, where she has been convalescing from a serious case of pneumonia.

Mrs. W. P. McKay, W. Third St., entered McClellan Hospital, Tuesday, to undergo a course of treatment for several days.

Miss Carrie Whitaker, teacher at the O. S. and S. O. Home, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is improving.

Mrs. Isadore Middleton, who makes her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hazard, of Middleton's Corner, has been seriously ill with grip and complications and is improving nicely and is able to be about the house.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Galloway, Evanston, Ill., formerly of Xenia, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, Feb. 15. The child, who is Dr. and Mrs. Galloway's fourth, and their second daughter, has been named Mary Stewart, and weighed eight pounds at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eavey entertained the choir of the First U. P. Church, with a chicken roast at their sugar camp on the Wilmington Pike, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lura Anderson, W. Main St., is entertaining the members of the W. R. C. with a thimble party at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Burch D. E. Arthur returned to his home in Wilmington Monday, from McClellan Hospital, this city, where he has been convalescing the past three weeks following a major operation.

## ELECTRICAL STORM STRIKES IN COUNTY

There were no reports of serious damage resulting from the sharp electrical display accompanied by thunder and rain, experienced in Xenia early Wednesday.

The Xenia emergency plant of the Dayton Power and Light Co., was in operation for a short time but company officials declared this was not due to any break in the main feed line from Dayton to Xenia.

The feed line is being repaired and the auxiliary plant in this city has been frequently used in the last few days, officials said.

## FUNERAL THURSDAY

Funeral services for Harley Swartz will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the First M. E. Church, with interment in Jamestown Cemetery. Friends may call at the Nagley Funeral Home, any time Wednesday evening.

## ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS

OF OUR BIG

## Unloading Sale

238 men's fine Overcoats at half price. \$35.00 Overcoats \$17.50, \$30.00 Overcoats \$15.00, \$25.00 Overcoats \$12.50, \$20.00 Overcoats \$10.00. Men's and young men's fine Suits 1-4 to 1-3 off. Fine Trousers 1-4 to 1-3 off.

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## THREE BOOZE CASES DISPOSED OF HERE

Cases of three more alleged liquor law violators, arrested in the recent county-wide "clean-up" by state prohibition inspectors, were disposed of by Probate Judge S. C. Wright Tuesday and Wednesday.

Changing his plea of not guilty to guilty to a charge of illegal sale of liquor, E. W. Hamilton, Xenia, was fined \$300 and costs Wednesday morning. Ollie Toole, this city, changed his plea of not guilty to sale of liquor to one of guilty of giving information as to where liquor could be found, and was fined \$150 and costs.

Martin Welmer, Cedarville, was found guilty of a charge of supplying information about liquor at a

hearing Tuesday afternoon. Judge Wright reserved sentence for three days pending filing of a motion for a new trial.

## URGES PASSAGE OF COLLISTER BILL

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 16.—Health Director John E. Monger today urged that the house here speed up passage, as an emergency measure, the Collister bill, which already has passed the senate, providing for establishment of sanitary sewer districts.

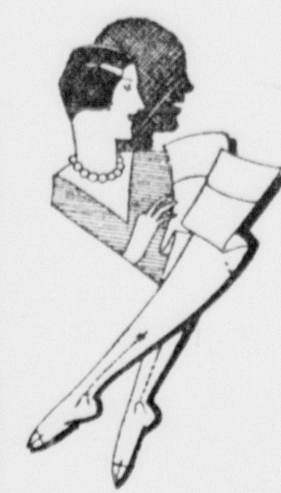
Monger declared enactment of this bill is essential in order that work may proceed in connection with sanitary relief work throughout the state, estimated to cost about \$55,000,000.

## REFUSES WOMAN COP

ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 16.—The city council here last night refused to appoint a city policewoman, requested by the federation of women's clubs.

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## BIBLE THOUGHT

GREAT POWER FROM GOD:—Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of an enemy; and nothing shall by any means hurt you. Luke 10:19.

## NOT A SPENDTHRIFT NATION

During 1926, American savings banks gained almost 3,000,000 depositors, and \$1,562,140,000 deposits. There are now 46,762,000 depositors, with \$24,696,192,000 deposits.

New England has the largest percentage of depositors, with the highest per capita deposits, almost \$500 per depositor. In contrast, New Mexico has but \$19 per inhabitant and Texas only \$31.

Some of this apparent difference in saving is merely a difference in investment habits, and does not represent actual conditions of prosperity. But everywhere the saving-bank habit grows; the vast volume of such funds shows that the country is amazingly prosperous, and that it has formed the savings habit and found it good.

## DON'T KNOW HOW TO VOTE

Statistics of the congressional election of last November compiled from official sources, have just been issued in handy pamphlet form. The figures for New York disclose a somewhat amazing state of affairs. No fewer than 309,414 votes are recorded in the Empire State as "blank, void and scattering." That means that an equivalent number of voters were practically disfranchised by reason of their own ignorance of the way to mark a ballot. In the senatorial contest alone there were 131,447 of these inadequate ballots—a total considerably in excess of Justice Wagner's plurality over Senator Wadsworth. In many congressional districts there were more than 10,000 "blank, void and scattering" ballots. The suspicion is justified that the fate of more than one New York candidate may have been decided by this sad exhibition of our literate democracy.

## PINCHOT BACK IN FIGHT

"America is dry, and dry to stay. The people of the United States are overwhelmingly behind the Eighteenth amendment. Prohibition can be enforced. But far better results could be achieved if the treasury department really wanted the law enforced."

Thus Gifford Pinchot, archpriest of prohibition, lately of Harrisburg, now of Washington, in the first public statement he has made since retirement from the governorship of Pennsylvania. Fresh from four years of battle—years which he thinks of as the best of his life—Pinchot has resumed his old place on the firing line at the national capital. Here he means to fight for his political ideals long nearest his heart—law enforcement and conservation of hydro-electrical power. Respectively, he considers them the outstanding "moral" and "economic" problems facing the American people.

## OLD HAND AT DIPLOMACY

Frederick Augustine Sterling, the first American minister to the Irish Free State, is a Missourian by birth, but claims Texas as his residence. He has occupied his present post, the consulship of the embassy at London, for nearly four years, serving there under three ambassadors—Harvey, Kellogg and Houghton.

Sterling's promotion to Dublin is in line with the department of state's policy of promoting meritorious "career men" under the new Foreign Service law. He entered diplomacy, after graduation from Harvard and eight years as a rancher in Texas, in 1911 as a secretary at St. Petersburg. After that Sterling saw duty successively in China, France and Peru. He is 50 years old, and once was chief of the western Europe division of the state department.

A cynic is a bird who figures out his opposition to a proposition solely on the basis of who supports it.

WIFE'S COFFEE  
CONVERTS \$38  
INTO MILLIONS

By MARY BLADE  
Exclusive Dispatch, Copyright, 1927  
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Alice Foote MacDougall, who was brought up to believe that woman's place was in the home, is

now doing business on a million-dollar scale. When Mrs. MacDougall was 39, with an invalid husband and three children, she went into business with \$38. She began her business career by sending letters to 500 personal friends, announcing that she would like to sell them coffee.

She had difficulty in overcoming the convenience of the corner grocer, but managed to get her business on a firm basis. Then she decided she would prove her coffee was good by serving it herself. In December, 1919, she opened a little shop. Soon there was an increasing demand for something to eat. One afternoon she bought a waffle-iron. That started it!

Some three years later she opened a coffee shop downtown, seating sixty-five. Within eighteen months she had twice enlarged it. In 1924 she opened a larger place and in 1925 a still larger one. Then, the other day, she sat in her office and signed a \$1,000,000 contract. It covers part of a new

building for twenty years at \$50,000 a year.

The date which it bore was only three days more than five years from the time she entered the restaurant business by giving away waffles with coffee in her little stall. Last year she did a business of \$2,000,000.

Besides building up a fortune, Mrs. MacDougall, now 53, has reared and educated her three children, Gladys, Donald and Allan. She remains the active head of her business, although Allan, now 33, is associated with her.

Two-story frame building north of the Xenia Garage, S. Detroit St. is to be sold and razed and a gas-line filling station erected at that point by M. H. Schmidt, owner of the property, it is announced.

Sale of the building is being advertised. The condition is made that the purchaser tear down the building and move it from the property immediately.

For the past eight or nine years part of the first floor has been occupied by the Mellage shoe repair shop and the rest used as a residence. J. F. Mellage, owner of the shoe shop, has made no plans for the future, it is announced.

## APPROVE BILL

Finance committee of the house of representatives recommended for passage Tuesday night, a bill to establish a state teachers' training department at Wilmington College. The bill, which carries an appropriation of \$12,000, has already been passed by the senate. It was originally introduced by Senator L. T. Marshall, Xenia.

## Noisy, But Not Disturbing

Keeping HEALTHY  
by Dr. A. F. Currier

HAVE YOU HAD THE "FLU"?

This infectious, epidemic disease, which has visited all parts of the civilized world with greater or less frequency and severity, seems to prevail by preference where people are gathered together in large numbers, which is true of all contagious and infectious diseases. Hence it occurs in cities and camps and crowded places of all kinds in preference to the sparsely settled country.

It varies greatly in its severity, as the history of the past epidemics amply shows. Many people who have the disease do not feel sick enough to call a physician, and many doctors do not report their cases to their local health board, though the law in most places requires it. So that exact figures are not obtainable. The essential causative element in grippé or influenza, whether it be called Russian or, as more recently, Spanish or simply influenza, is known as Pfeiffer's bacillus. (Pfeiffer wrote an excellent treatise describing the disease.) This is very generally found by bacteriologists in the sputum or mucus of those who have this disease.

People may be stricken with influenza at their work or else, where the common symptoms—being chill, headache, backache and general bad feelings, together with redness of the face, running of the eyes and nose, sore throat and great prostration. The pulse is slow, the fever runs from 102 to 104 F. there is often a harsh cough with very little expectoration, and as complications there are frequently bronchitis and broncho-pneumonia, the latter frequently proving quickly fatal.

Mild cases last two or three days and are followed by rapid recovery; severe cases may be quickly fatal. In cases in which there is high fever there are blisters or fever sores on the lips but no disturbance of the digestive apparatus. When a person is attacked with this disease he should go to bed at once and send for his physician. If his fever is high, his condition is serious and will remain so until the fever abates and such an abatement may take place very suddenly.

The convalescent period is of great importance for it is during that period that so many people are neglectful and develop fatal pneumonia.

Rigid precautions as to coughing, sneezing and blowing the nose are of great importance, for nobody can tell how many bacilli may thus be liberated to float in the air and be ready for inhalation by anybody that may be passing along. It is very important during the convalescent period that one's house should be kept warm and comfortable. It is more important than to save coal, no matter how expensive that may be.

Fresh air, sunlight, open bowels, simple and moderate diet and a daily warm bath to keep the skin in good working order should be the program for everybody at all times, but especially when influenza is about; and at such a time one should also keep away from crowds and crowded places as much as possible.

An epidemic lasts from four to six weeks in a given locality. That is its record, tracing it from its beginnings in Russia in 1910, whence it was carried to Harbin by Chinese fur dealers, and from there to North China where it was very fatal from 1910 to 1917.

The Pfeiffer bacillus is not the only one which is found in this disease, since it is usually grouped with the bacillus of the Chinese

plague, four varieties of the germ of pneumonia, the bacillus of nasal catarrh, and an important variety of streptococcus. These germs are seldom found alone in one who is suffering from influenza and its complications, several varieties being almost invariably present and constituting what is called a mixed infection.

Treatment of influenza and its complications includes preventive measures as well as those used during and after the disease. In addition to the hygienic measures advised by doctors and boards of health the question of vaccines must be considered.

Vaccines are substances prepared in laboratories which are injected in suitable solutions into the veins. One form of such a solution is obtained from freshly-killed influenza bacilli and another is a mixture of bacilli or influenza and pneumonia, and streptococci.

Thousands of people have been vaccinated with one or the other of these solutions and while they may not have done any particular good they do not appear to have done any harm and it has been thought well to continue the experiments with vaccines. As a tonic there are three drugs which are used freely in this disease, cod liver oil, quinine and strychnine.

Simple remedies that may be liberally used are large doses of bicarbonate of soda, inhalation of a solution of salicylate of ammonia through a simple mask and free inhalation of oxygen.

The serum treatment of influenza and its complications means the injection of blood serum, the watery part of blood obtained from human beings or animals, into the blood vessels or tissues.

SOPHIE  
IRENE LOEB SAYS—

THE LAST THING THAT DIES

He had lived, and laughed, and loved  
When the red blood of Youth coarsed through his veins.  
He had worked and worried and won, and lost—  
But always the spirit of achievement  
Buoyed him up when he was in the depths.  
And carried him through  
Until he was again on the crest of the wave.  
Responsibilities came,  
And sometimes the load seemed greater than he could bear.  
Those who knew him best said:  
"What courage was his!  
"He knew how to take a blow and give one when it was right."  
A strong man, they called him,  
And happy with wife and children—  
Making and breaking the way  
For the beckoning and beautiful future.  
But, alas, Fate decreed otherwise,  
And sorrow, and sickness came,  
And the black monitor of death took away his children,  
And laid his life partner low, oh, so low—  
For she would not battle  
But longed to go to the loving arms  
Of those who had gone beyond.  
Then came the worst—  
Helpless, this man of courage and iron.  
Money gone, children—everything!  
His heart bleeding, his soul seared.  
With frame weak and weary—no desire for anything  
Except that both might die together.  
And when everything was the lowest of the low  
Somewhere in the subconscious, there flickered a spark.  
It whispered first faintly, then stronger:  
"The world is wide and big!  
"You must go on, and do, begin again!  
"And somewhere, someplace, there must be something for you!"  
And those who watched saw the tired eyelids open  
With renewed light—  
And they knew that as long as that shone  
He would live.  
For the last thing to die  
Is the spark of hope.

## KELLYGRAMS

by  
FRED C.  
KELLY

BUSINESS SYSTEM AND GOOD BEHAVIOR

The president of a big surety company, which furnishes bonds to protect business houses from thefts by employees, tells me that more system in business is making people more honest. We are becoming more honest for the simple reason that we are compelled to be. Honesty, it must be remembered, varies considerably, according to the strain to which it is subjected. If you need money to take a sick wife or

MAKING  
MODERN  
MENUS

When there's ham left over, bring out your croquette recipes and look them over.

## HAM CROQUETTES

A cup of cooked ham is enough. Mix two cups of mashed potatoes, a tablespoon of butter, two egg yolks and some cayenne pepper, beating the mixture until it is smooth, and allowing it to cool. To the chopped ham we add another yolk of egg, heat the mixture a moment, and allow it to become cold also. When both mixtures are cool we form the potatoes into balls, make a hole in each, press in a spoonful of the ham, close it up, and form for frying. Dip each croquette in egg and crumbs and use deep fat for frying, as usual.

Here's another way to use the left-over ham:

## HAM CANAPES, CREOLE

Have a cup of minced cooked ham and to it add a minced onion and a minced clove of garlic. Put these into a frying pan with a tablespoon of butter and cook three minutes. Add a chopped tomato and a chopped green pepper, and season the whole with salt and pepper. Cook the mixture until it becomes thick enough to make a spread on rounds of buttered toast. When the rounds are spread, dredge with grated Parmesan cheese and bake for a few minutes in a hot oven.

Many  
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"I don't care to talk to a woman until she has passed seventy, and a man is really interesting only between sixty and 100."—Mrs. Theodore Parsons, New York club woman, addressing the League-to-Stay-Young.

"What a blessing the movies have been to rural America. The farm family which traditionally lives in isolation \* \* \* is now able to step from the narrow round of husband and wife to the life of European capitals, or of the thrills of drama, or any other phase of life that its nearest movie house chances to be presenting."—Irwin Greer, Chicago mechanical trades educator.

"In the history of the liberation of the human race, the Emancipation Proclamation ranks with the Edict of Constantine the Great, issued at Milan in A. D. 313, which officially made western civilization Christian, and the Magna Charta, which ensured to the English-speaking races the personal liberty they had wrested from their monarchs. In giving Lincoln credit for this momentous step we do not ordinarily realize that he made it on his own authority. It was merely an executive edict. \* \* \* It was without the sanction of congress or a statute. Brought to legal issue in a court, it could not have secured the freedom of a single slave."—Honore Willie Morrow, famed woman novelist.

"Agriculture is confronted today with the most far-reaching problem it has ever had to face. There have been times when the direst fall of general prosperity have brought about much greater suffering to the farmer than he is experiencing now, but never before has agriculture's position in our national economic structure been placed at such a disadvantage in comparison with industry, commerce and labor, as in the recent past. Heretofore agriculture and commerce and labor have been forced together. Now agriculture alone is suffering and the others are enjoying the greatest prosperity ever known."—R. W. Dunlap, assistant secretary of agriculture.

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## How to Achieve Beauty

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Cotton and Paper for Every  
Woman's Beauty Kit.

It is amusing to consider the part cotton and paper play in the beauty kit of the modern woman. If you have not learned the neatness and efficiency which they add to your daily beauty culture, do not waste a moment loitering so and proceed to take advantage of them.

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PENNY  
THOUGHTS

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As Shakespeare opines (in Richard II.)

O, who can hold a fire in his hand By thinking on the frosty Caucasus? Or cloy the hungry edge of appetite By bare imagination of a feast? Or wallow naked in December snow.

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# Central Hopes To Repeat Win Over Chillicothe

## FORGET DEFEATS IN ATTEMPT TO EXTEND SECOND WIN STREAK

Bexley Victory Aids  
Morale of Coach  
Kolb's Pets

Central High School eagles, under the eye of Coach Vic Kolb, are daily rehearsing lessons in good basketball that will prove helpful in the return game with Chillicothe High at the local gym Saturday night.

The Blue and White downed Chillicothe 26 to 14 on the latter school's court near the opening of the season and if history repeats itself, the logical deduction is the local pill tasters will record their tenth victory in twelve starts this season.

The stimulating 27 to 25 victory over the hitherto undefeated Bexley High quintet at Columbus last week has restored the morale of the Blue and White after successive defeats by Eaton and Middletown. If Xenia was good enough to win from Chillicothe on a strange floor it should be good enough to duplicate Saturday.

It was no small task to defeat the scrappy Bexley midgets but proves beyond the shadow of a doubt Kolb's proteges have come back with renewed strength.

Bexley had not lost a game all season and held victories over practically all of the larger Columbus schools.

Xenia should not feel disheartened by the Eaton and Middletown defeats for no team is so strong that it does not lose games now and then when least expected. A string of eight consecutive victories is not to be held lightly for it indicates staying power, and this is a powerful factor in any team's success.

Games with the Dayton Preps, Xenia's nemesis for two straight years, and Piqua High remain on the season's schedule in addition to the Chillicothe contest and we are pleased to believe the local basketballers will win each of these court struggles.

Playing at top form Central should end the regular playing season and enter the regional tournament at Dayton with twelve victories against two defeats, an attractive season's record.

The prediction is offered for what it is worth, if anything. The feat is not impossible and we would almost bet our right to breathe the prophecy comes true.

## BOWLING

After lingering in eighth position for several months, Artesions climbed out of last place by making a clean sweep of their three-game series with the Buicks in an unique battle for the cellar championship of the Xenia Bowling League Tuesday night.

The trio of defeats thrust the Buicks into the bottom position vacated by the Artesions. Buicks were handicapped by having only two members of the team present for the match and used two dummy scores.

Although they ended their season's schedule Tuesday night, Artesions have a good chance to better their standing in the League. Regardless of the result of the match between McCarran Bros. and the Candy Kites, the Artesions will either wind up in a tie for sixth place or gain undisputed possession of this position. Box score:

Artesions.....	211	162	143
F. Horner.....	150		
Baumman.....	169	172	196
W. Smith.....	198	183	196
Ross.....	180	189	

Totals.....	728	697	724
Buicks.....			
Bice.....	168	156	177
Donley.....	146	200	171
Dummy.....	150	172	143
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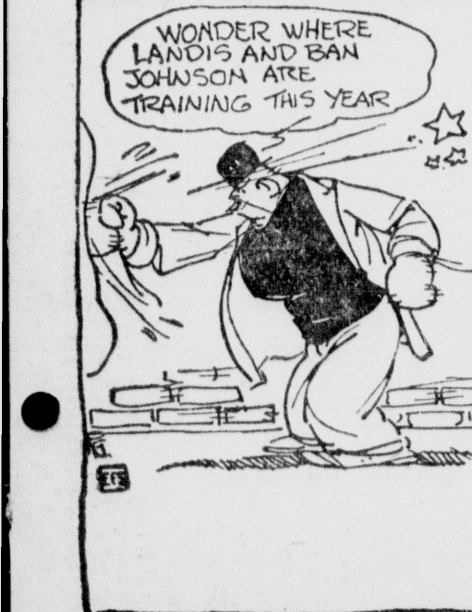
Totals.....	633	690	680
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## FAIRFIELD FLYER STILL UNCONSCIOUS

Captain C. T. Buckner, Wright Field, Fairfield, remained unconscious in a hospital at Salem, Ala., Wednesday, from injuries received Monday in a fall from an airplane piloted by Lieut. O. O. Niergarth, also of Wright Field. Niergarth was not seriously hurt. The officers were flying to Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala.

Captain Buckner holds the rank of flight surgeon and senior medical officer at Wright Field. Shortly after his arrival at the local field three months ago, from his post in Manila, Philippine Islands, he attained what is said to be a record altitude without oxygen, 20,000 feet. He is fifty years old.

## SAYS - MR. BALONEY



## TAKE DEPOSITION IN WILL CASE; SALE OF RING APPROVED

In the case of an application filed to admit the will of Daniel McCurdy, deceased, to probate, the court has commissioned Attorney W. L. Miller to go to Detroit and take the deposition of P. J. Higgins and Raymond Higgins, witnesses to the will and codicil.

**TO SELL RING**  
Administrator of the estate of Harriet R. Brown, deceased, has been authorized in Probate Court to sell a diamond ring belonging to the estate, at private sale for not less than \$530.

**ADMINISTRATORS NAMED**  
Martha J. Reeves has been appointed administratrix of the estate of E. B. Reeves, late of Xenia, in Probate Court with \$200 bond. R. R. Grieve, J. E. Jones and Charles Bales were named appraisers.

C. H. Crouse has been named administrator of the estate of Mary C. Crouse, late of Cedarville, with bond of \$5,000. George Howard, J. C. Townsley and L. F. Findall were appointed to appraise the estate.

**SALE CONFIRMED**  
Sale of property to Roscoe C. Aule for \$1,000, more than the appraised value, has been confirmed by the court in the case of C. E. Johannes, administrator of the estate of William Johannes, deceased, against George Johannes, guardian of Raymond Johannes, Ralph Johannes and Clarence Johannes in Probate Court.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Samson Smith, Fairfield, O., photographer, and Bonnie Todd, Fairfield, O.

## REPORT STRAY DOGS WARNING OF HEALTH COMMISSIONER NOW

Reports of several rabies infected dogs being killed in Greene County recently caused Dr. R. H. Gruoe, county health commissioner, to issue a warning concerning the "mad dog" situation Wednesday.

The fact that stray dogs carry the disease sometimes great distances, was stressed at a meeting of health commissioners in Cincinnati last fall, according to Dr. Gruoe. For this reason he is asking citizens to be particularly vigilant regarding stray dogs and to report them to the sheriff's office.

Already nearly 100 unlicensed stray dogs, have been killed by Lon Edwards, county dog catcher, it is reported, and this work was commended by Dr. Gruoe as an important step in preventing the spread of rabies. No cases of people being bitten by any of several "mad dogs" killed recently, have been reported to Dr. Gruoe, but he requests that such cases be reported to him immediately after they occur.

## Calendar Of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16:**  
Jr. O. U. A. M.  
Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P.  
Church Prayer Meetings.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17:**  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. of A.  
Rebekahs.

Called meeting, American Legion, Post Hall, Court House, 7 p. m. Come!

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18:**  
Eagles.

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa.

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22:**  
Obedient Council D. of A.  
Xenia I. O. O. F.  
Kiwanis.

## POLICEMAN HURT IN ATTEMPTING ARREST

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 16.—One policeman was wounded, negro, badly mauled in a near-riot, was being sought by officers here today, as the result of a purse snatching episode and a battle royal in the Columbus negro district.

Policeman Householder was slashed on the thigh by an unidentified negro who snatched a white woman's purse. The purse-snatcher fled almost into the arms of the policeman when the woman screamed. During the ensuing battle, the prisoner slashed the officer, and escaped after a running fight with half dozen soldiers from Fort Hayes, who were attracted to the scene.

## HONOR PRINCESS

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Princess Mary is now a surgeon. She was admitted to the Royal College of Surgeons as an honorary fellow, the first woman ever to be admitted to this Institute. The Princess was awarded an honorary diploma.

## ALLA RAGEH AMAZES CROWDS WITH BLINDFOLDED AUTO DRIVE

Completely blindfolded, Alla Rageh, "Mystery Man," who opened a three-day engagement in Xenia Wednesday at the Bijou Theater, astounded a large crowd Wednesday noon when he drove an auto through the down town congested district without mishap.

As announced, Alla Rageh, in successfully attempting this feat, drove one of the new Chevrolet cabriolet roadsters loaned for the purpose by the Lang Chevrolet Co. Leaving from in front of the company's sales rooms shortly after 12:30 o'clock, Alla wound his circuitous way over a route previously outlined returning to his starting point without accident. He drove the car alone.

A crowd of several hundred people congregated to see the start of the trip. There was some conjecture as to how he would perform the feat and several questioned the authenticity of the blindfold, but Rageh tendered the bandage for inspection to Peter Shagin, motorcycle policeman, and County Road Patrolman Kenneth C. Barr, and several bystanders.

Crowds lining Main and Detroit Sts. were amazed to see the driver swerve along the route without once endangering the safety of other motorists or pedestrians. Occasionally he would drive perilously close to the traffic light at Main and Detroit Sts. but always a quick turn averted an accident in the nick of time.

Rageh will make a personal appearance at the Xenia Mercantile Co. between 4:30 and 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. How and why he was able to accomplish his "blindfold" drive will be explained Wednesday night on the first of his nightly appearances at the Bijou theater with his company of mystics. There will also be a special matinee performance for women only Friday morning at 10 o'clock. On all of his appearances at the local theater, Rageh will offer interesting and bewildering demonstration of his unusual powers.

Standing in the aisles of the theater, Rageh will grasp by his powers of "mental radio" thoughts projected from the minds of the audience, and with the aid of a crystal, divine the answers. On many occasions, Alla allows the

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## EAST END NEWS

Mr. C. C. Turner and sister, Mrs. E. W. Hester and Mrs. Bettie Cowan of Wilberforce motored to Zanesville and Barnesville, O., and spent Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday.

Rev. A. L. Dooley, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, preached at the 15th anniversary service of the pastor Monday night of St. John's Baptist Church, Springfield. The Rev. W. C. Allen, pastor of Middle Run was the speaker all day Sunday at the opening service. The Rev. R. J. Fleming is pastor.

## Coughs Stopped Almost Instantly

A famous physician's prescription called Thoxine relieves the most stubborn coughs that otherwise would hang on for weeks. Acts on new theory, relieves the inflammation and irritation which is almost always the cause of the cough, and stops it like magic. Thoxine is equally good for sore throat for which purpose it is far superior to gargles. Contains no dope, chloroform or harmful drugs. Once used you will never be without it. Pleasant taste and safe for children. Remember one swallow stops night coughs or sore throat within fifteen minutes or money back. 35c, 60c., and \$1.00. At all druggists. —Adv.



## Thin? Appetite Waning?

Woodstock, Ohio.—"I had been confined to the house so long that I was getting discouraged. I had a good doctor but kept getting worse, my appetite was gone and I was getting thin. One day I read one of Dr. Pierce's little books and made up my mind to give his medicines a trial. I have since used six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and seven of the 'Favorite Prescription' also used the 'Lotion Tablets' and I feel like a new woman. I take the 'Pleasant Pellets,' too, for constipation. I feel I owe my life to Dr. Pierce and his medicines."—Mrs. Tomie Vonhooze, Route 1. (Picture above)

Ask your nearest druggist for 10 cents for a trial package of any of Doctor Pierce's family medicines, in tablets or liquid; or send any of Dr. Pierce's remedies in tablet form, to Doctor Pierce's Clinic, in Buffalo, N. Y. —Adv.

## DAILY MARKETS

### LIVE STOCK

#### CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK

Hogs—receipts, 2,100; holdover, 818; market, around steady to 5c higher; sows and pigs, unchanged. Quotations: 250-350 lbs., \$11.25@12.10; 200-250 lbs., \$12@12.40; 160-200 lbs., \$12.25@12.40; 130-160 lbs., \$11.85@12.25; 90-130 lbs., \$10@11.85; packing sows, \$9.25@10.50.

Cattle—receipts, 400; market, steady; top, \$15. Bulk quotations: beef steers, \$7.25@10.25; light yearling steers and heifers, \$6.50@10; beef cows, \$5@6.75; low cutter and cutter cows, \$3.75@4.50; vealers, \$10.50@15; heavy calves, \$6@10; bulk stock and feeder steers, \$6.75.

Sheep—receipts, 200; market, steady; top, \$12.50. Quotations: top, fat lambs, \$13.75; bulk fat lambs, \$10@13.75; bulk cull lambs, \$5@7; bulk fat ewes, \$3.50@6.50.

#### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; market, 15c higher; top, \$12.10; bulk, \$11.40@11.90; heavy weight, \$11.45@11.70; medium weight, \$11.60@11.90; light weight, \$11.60@12.05; light hogs, \$11.60@12.10; packing sows, \$10.45@11.10; pigs, \$11.25@12.

Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; market, steady; calves, receipts, 3,000; market, steady; Beef Steers—Good and choice, \$10.50@13.10; common and medium, \$7@10; yearlings, \$7@12.50; Butcher Cattle—Heifers, \$5.50@10; cows, \$5@8; bulls, \$5@7.50; calves, \$11.50@15; feeder steers, \$6@8.50; stocker steers, \$6@8.25; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.

Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, \$12.50@13.50; culls and common, \$9.50@11; yearlings, \$9.50@11.50; common and choice ewes, \$4.50@8.75; feeder lambs, \$12.25@13.10.

**PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK**  
Cattle—supply light; market steady; choice, \$10.25@10.65; prime, \$9.60@10; good, \$9.60@10.25; tidy butchers, \$8.75@9.35; fair, \$8@8.75; common, \$6.75@7.50; common to good fat cows, \$3.50@6.25; heifers, \$7@8; fresh cows and springers, \$5@10; veal calves, \$16.50.

Sheep and lamb—supply, 300; market steady; good \$9; lambs, \$13.50.

Hogs—receipts, 1,500; market lower; prime heavy hogs, \$11.75@12; heavy mixed, \$12@12.30; mediums, \$12.60@12.70; heavy yorkers, \$12.60@12.70; light yorkers, \$12.60@12.70; pigs, \$12.60@12.70; roughs, \$10@10.75; stags, \$5@7.50.

### XENIA LIVESTOCK

Greene County Livestock Shipping Assn.  
Heavies—\$10.90@11.30  
Mediums—\$11.30@11.60  
Lights—\$11.60@11.80  
Packing sows—\$9@9.75  
Calves—\$11.50.  
Sheep—\$5.25.  
Lambs—\$11.

### DAYTON

Receipts 5 cars; market, 25c higher.

Heavies, 200 lbs. up ..... \$12.00  
Mediums, 200 lbs. down ..... \$12.00  
Light, 140 ..... \$12.10  
Pigs, 140 down ..... \$10@12.00  
Stags ..... \$6@7.50  
Sows ..... \$9@10.75

### CATTLE

Receipts 12 cars; market, steady  
Best fat steers ..... \$5@9  
Veal calves ..... \$7@12  
Medium butcher steers ..... \$7@8  
Medium butcher heifers ..... \$5@6  
Best butcher heifers ..... \$7@8  
Best fat cows ..... \$5@6  
Bologna cows ..... \$3@4  
Medium cows ..... \$4@5

### SHEEP

Spring lambs ..... \$6@10  
Sheep ..... \$2@5

### GRAIN

#### DAYTON

Flour and Grain  
(By the Duret Milling Co.)  
(Prices being paid for grain at mill.)  
Wheat, No. 1. New, \$1.30.  
Rye, No. 2, 85c per bushel.  
Corn, 75c per 100 lbs.  
Oats, per bu. 48c.

### PRODUCE

CLEVELAND PRODUCE  
BUTTER:  
Extra, 54 1-2@55 1-2c.

Extra firsts, 52@53c.  
Firsts, 48 1-2@49 1-2c.  
Packing stock, 28c.  
Eggs, fresh, 31c.  
Extra firsts, 32@33c.  
Pullets, 27c.

### LIVE POULTRY:

Heavy fowls, 27@28c.  
Live fowls, 28@30c.  
Leghorn fowls, 18@20c.  
Heavy broilers, 25@26c.  
Springers, 28@29c.  
Leghorn broilers, 22@23c.  
Roosters, 17@18c.  
Geese, 22@25c.  
Ducks, 32@35c.  
Turkeys, 35c@38c.

### POTATOES:

Ohio, \$4.25 bag.  
Cobblers, \$4@5 in 150 lb. bags.  
Ohio's, 90c@1.00 bu.  
New Jersey, \$4.25 per 150 lbs.  
Idaho, \$4.50 per 110 lb. bag.  
Michigan, \$4.00 per 150 lbs.  
Minnesota, \$3.75@4 per 150 lbs.  
Home grown, 90c per half bushel basket.  
Wisconsin, \$4.25@5.35, 150 lb. bag.  
Sweet Potatoes, \$1.25@1.50.  
Oleo, high grade animal oils, 26c@27c; lower grades, 20c@22c.  
Cheese, York State, 27c@28c.  
Old, 29@32c.  
Apples, \$3@3.25.  
Maine, \$3.75 per 150 lbs.  
Tomatoes, \$3@3.25 crate.  
Strawberries, 65@75c qt.  
Cabbage, \$1.00@1.10 bu.  
Cucumbers, \$4.50@5 crate.

### DAYTON PRODUCE

Retail Price

(Corrected by The Joe Frank Co.)  
Butter, 58c.  
Eggs, 33c dozen.  
Roasting chickens, 42c.  
Stewing chickens, 42c.  
1926 fries, 42c lb.

## Dr. James HEADACHE Powders

Get a 10-cent package of Dr. James' Headache Powders and nerve-racking, splitting or dull, throbbing headaches yield in just a few moments. This old-time headache relief acts almost magically. Send someone to the drug store now and a few moments after you take a powder you will wonder what became of the headache, neuralgia and pain. Stop suffering—it's so needless. —Adv.

Spring ducks, 45c lb.  
Live roosters, 22c lb.  
Live hens, 30c lb.  
Prices Being Paid at Plant for Live Poultry and Eggs

Butter, 55c wholesale.  
Retail Price  
XENIA  
Heavy hens, 23c.  
Young roosters, 15c.  
Leghorns, 15c.  
Eggs, 25c.

## BURNS VICKS VAPORUB

Cover with wet baking soda—afterwards apply gently—

**Just Arrived**  
NEW  
**Spring Coats**  
In all the attractive new Spring Shades and with all the new Spring Style Features. All sizes.  
**Women's Coats**  
\$9.00 up  
**Children's Coats**  
\$3.90 up  
**XENIA BARGAIN STORE**  
"Where High Quality & Low Price Meet"  
24 North Detroit Street

I'm telling you straight—  
**P. A.**  
is the works

PUT it down now for a double-riveted, copper-cornered fact: Prince Albert will give you more pleasure to the cubic inch than any other tobacco you ever packed in a pipe. Maybe I'm prejudiced. Even so, my statement holds. I'll leave it to you, after your first P. A. pipe-load.

Cool as a claim-adjuster. Sweet as an unexpected inheritance. Fragrant as pine-boughs, swaying in a summer breeze. Mild, but not willy-nilly, if you get me. And of course you do! Make the test today and check-in with what I've been telling you.

Buy a tidy red tin of P. A. and follow these simple directions: Tuck about a thimbleful in to the bowl of your favorite pipe. Light up, and pull that cool, consoling smoke up the stem. Exhale slowly and get the full benefit of that wonderful Prince Albert taste.

You'll probably say I wasn't enthusiastic enough! Anyhow, get some Prince Albert now and get on the sunny side of pipe-pleasure. No matter what your previous experience with a pipe has been; no matter how set you appear to be, try Prince Albert. It will be a revelation!



"YES, I SOLD IT," HE REPLIED;  
"I USED AN AD IN  
CLASSIFIED."

# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, XENIA, OHIO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1927

"I FOUND JUST WHAT I WANT."  
"SAID HE; "A CLASSIFIED  
AD BROUGHT IT TO ME."

## Classified Advertising Rates

Daily Rate Per Line for Consecutive Insertions.  
Cash Charge  
Six days ..... \$7.00  
Three days ..... \$5.00  
One day ..... \$3.00  
Advertisements are restricted to proper classified style and type. The right is reserved by the publishers to edit or reject any advertisement.  
The Xenia Gazette and Republic maintain a staff of clerks ever ready to perform service and render advice on all kinds of advertising.  
Advertisements ordered for irregular insertions will be charged for at the rate of 10c per line per insertion. No advertisement will be taken for less than the cost of three lines. Special rates for yearly advertising upon request.  
The publishers will be responsible only for one incorrect insertion of any advertisement. Classified ads will be received until 9:30 a. m. for publication the same day.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1 Card of Thanks.
- 2 In Memoriam.
- 3 Funerals.
- 4 Social Services.
- 5 Notices, Meetings.
- 6 Personal.
- 7 Lost and Found.

### BUSINESS CARDS

- 8 Cleaning, Pressing, Laundering.
- 9 Dressmaking, Millinery.
- 10 Beauty Culture.
- 11 Professional Services.
- 12 Plumbing, Heating.
- 13 Electricians, Wiring.
- 14 Building, Painting.
- 15 Moving, Packing, Storage.
- 16 Repairs, Refinishing.
- 17 Moving, Packing, Storage.

### EMPLOYMENT

- 18 Help Wanted—Male.
- 19 Help Wanted—Female.
- 20 Help Wanted—Male or Female.
- 21 Help Wanted—Agents—Salesmen.
- 22 Situations Wanted.
- 23 Help Wanted—Instruction.

### LIVE STOCK—POULTRY—PETS

- 24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets.
- 25 Poultry—Eggs—Supplies.
- 26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs.

### MISCELLANEOUS

- 27 Wanted To Buy.
- 28 Miscellaneous For Sale.
- 29 Musical Instruments—Radio.
- 30 Household Goods.
- 31 Wearing Apparel—Shoes.
- 32 Groceries—Meats.

### RENTALS

- 33 Where To Eat.
- 34 Rooms—Board.
- 35 Rooms For Rent—Furnished.
- 36 Rooms For Rent—Unfurnished.
- 37 Houses—Plots—Unfurnished.
- 38 Houses—Plots—Furnished.
- 39 Office and Desk Rooms.
- 40 Miscellaneous For Rent.
- 41 Wanted To Rent.

### REAL ESTATE

- 42 Houses For Sale.
- 43 Lots For Sale.
- 44 Real Estate For Exchange.
- 45 Farms For Sale.
- 46 Business Opportunities.
- 47 Wanted Real Estate.

### AUTOMOTIVE

- 48 Automobile Insurance.
- 49 Auto Landings, Painting.
- 50 Tires—Tubes—Batteries.
- 51 Parts—Service—Repairing.
- 52 Motorcycles—Bicycles.
- 53 Auto Accessories.
- 54 Used Cars For Sale.

### PUBLIC SALES

- 55 Auctioneers.
- 56 Auction Sales.

### PERSONAL

- 57 EPILEPSY—How poisoned blood causes fits. How to stop fits promptly. Free treatise and instructions. Write Western Medical Ass'n, 137 W. 42nd St., Chicago.

### LOST AND FOUND

- 58 GOLD LOCKET—Plain on one side, chased on other. Has two pictures inside. Reward. Leave at Gazette.
- 59 LOST—Or stolen, hound dog, black with white ring around neck. License No. 1743. Clifford Springs, Phone 3-R.
- 60 ROOFING, PLUMBING, HEATING.

### PIPE—Valves and fittings for all purposes. The Rocket-King Co., 415 W. Main St., Phone 350.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

- 61 REPRESENTATIVE—Wanted, experienced, unnecessary. Chambers in Metal Weather Strip Co., 309 Salem Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

### IF YOU ARE A MAN

WORTHY of the name and not afraid to work, I'll bet you \$50 that you can't find a job for less than \$200. Think I'm bluffing? Then answer this ad and show me your Opening for Managers. The "Wonder Box" sells on sight.  
**TOM WALKER**  
PITTSBURGH, PA.

### A PAYING POSITION OPEN—To representative of character.

Take orders shoes-hosiery direct to wearer. Good income. Permanent. Write now. Tanners Shoe Mfg. Co., 415-2 C. St., Boston, Mass.

### WE DESIRE TO GET—In touch with a good reliable and honest retired farmer, well known in the community to call on farmers and secure prospects for our product. Must be at least fifty years of age or over. For a reliable firm and product, salary and commission paid. If you are the man forward your application at once to L. W. Smith, P. O. box 17, Gallon, Ohio.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

- 62 TWO GIRLS—Wanted at once at the Laquet Floral Co. to pick sweet peas.
- 63 WANTED—Experienced waitress. Interurban Restaurant.

### DOGS, CANARIES, PETS

- 64 HARTZ—Mountain canaries, mated, males and females for sale. Phone 423W-2.

### POULTRY, EGGS, SUPPLIES 25

- 65 POULTRY—And geese. Green Bros., 524 W. Second St., Phone 1210.
- 66 DOCKERELS—S. C. R. I. Red, Barred Ply. Rocks, White Ply. Rocks, White Wyandottes, Buff Orpingtons, Anconas, and White Leghorns. Call or write to 576 Xenia Hatcheries Company.

### USED BUCKEYE—Incubator, 600 egg size, like new, \$65.00. Used Simplex oil burner, good as new. Used oil, 200 lbs. of brooder stoves. Priced right. Come in or phone 576 Xenia Hatcheries Co.

### RHODE ISLAND—Red single comb cockerels, 1000 strain from 1000. Phone 423W-2.

### POULTRY, EGGS, SUPPLIES 25

BABY CHICKS—Pratts Pmilk, Baco, chick food, feeds, supplies, remedies. Simplex Brooder. Babo Hardware, 53R, Xenia.  
MAKE YOUR FLOCK PAY—Feed Blatchford's Poultry Feed, Egg Mash, Chick Buttermilk, Scratch Grains, Cod Liver Oil, Charcoal, Tobacco Dust, also Calf Meal, Pig meal. Phone 576, Xenia Hatcheries Company.

BUCKEYE—Incubators and brooders. Ohio Colony brooder, 500 egg size, like new, \$65.00. Used Simplex oil burner, good as new. Used oil, 200 lbs. of brooder stoves. Priced right. Come in or phone 576 Xenia Hatcheries Co.

BUCKEYE—Galvanized metal brooder house with windows and ventilating system. \$38.00. See it at our store. Hutton-Rickett Hardware store, E. Main St.

HATCHING—Eggs from dark strain of Barred Rock heavy layers. Mrs. Chas. Faulkner, Phone 495E-11.

### POULTRY FEEDS—Cod liver oil, charcoal, K poultry feed, bacco dust, oil and coal brooder, full line of poultry accessories. Xenia Hatcheries Co., Xenia, Phone 676.

### HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS 26

YOUNG—Black mare, 5 years old, weight about 1500 lbs. Well broke. Lawson Hagler, Phone 499E-4.

MULES—Harness, wagon for sale. John Harbino, Allen Building, Telephone.

PUBLIC SALE—2 1/2 miles west of Bowersville on Hussey Pike. A full line of farm implements: 2 horses; 2 mules, coming two years old; 2 cows; 2 heifers, coming yearlings; 5 brood sows; 25 sheep; and sows, other articles. Foy M. Gerard.

ONE SORREL MARE—Sound, good worker and driver. Robert Wilson, New Jasper Sta.

WANTED 100—Pigs or sheats and Shropshire ewes. Phone 1184, Xenia, Ohio.

### WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Two used silos, metal or wood. Address R. A. P. care Gazette.

### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

FOUR BURNER—Gas range, good condition. 231 W. Third St.

STEEL WATER TANK—7 feet diameter, 16 feet high; make splendid supply tank for barn supply. W. R. Brisson, R. 2, Xenia, 499E-2.

OUTSIDE—Toilet in good condition. Phone 74W.

ONE SECOND—Hand electric sweeper, a real bargain at Elchman & Miller, W. Main St.

HAND MADE—Harness, repairing and oiling. O. W. Everhart, 115 E. Main St., Phone 625.

### GET IT AT DONGES

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—RADIO—29

PIANOS—Different kinds, small monthly payments. John Harbino, Allen Building.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 30

FURNITURE—And stoves. Mendonah, N. King St., Phone 730.

ROOMS FOR RENT FURNISHED 35

FIVE ROOMS—And kitchenette, gas, bath and electricity, \$16.00 per month. Phone 575W.

ROOMS—North west corner of Detroit and Third. Call 216R mornings.

OFFICE ROOMS—Orpheum Theater. Bldg. rent \$5.00 to \$15.00 per month; modern up to date rooms. Phone 15, H. L. Binder.

ROOMS FOR RENT, UNFURNISHED 36

TWO ROOMS—Suitable for lodge or business rooms. 28 W. Main St., Phone 15, Carroll-Binder, 105 E. Main St.

HOUSES, FLATS, UNFURNISHED 37

MODERN APT.—3 rooms and bath, with gas, electricity, hot and cold running water, also a garage in excellent condition, will paper it to suit tenants. \$25.00 per month. Two blocks from Court House, 227 E. Market St. Call Gazette office.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT 40

FARM OF—32 acres for rent, near Alpha. Phone 493E-21, Xenia.

FARM FOR RENT—Three dollars an acre in Warren County, John Harbino, Jr., Allen Building.

GARAGE—For rent on E. Market. Call 132R.

FOR RENT—First class farm of 25 acres four miles from Xenia, grain rent. See Grieve and Harbino.

HOUSES FOR SALE 42

ROOM FRAME—House, water, gas, electric light and in good repair. A small payment with the deal. Grieve & Harbino.

ROOM COTTAGE—Large lot, furnace water and electricity. 115 W. Second St., Phone 323W.

WE HAVE—For sale the Mrs. Bull home, Maple St. A splendid modern home, 6 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, double garage. See Grieve and Harbino.

TOM LONG—Real Estate Man. I will sell your farm and city property at once or will loan you money. See me. No. 2 W. Main St.

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE 44

FILLING STATION—Location on corner of the Jameson and Nick Jasper Pikes on E. Main, Xenia. Write or call W. L. Clemens, Cedarville, Ohio, exclusive agent.

FARMS FOR SALE 45

FOR SALE—Farm of one hundred sixty (160) acres, one mile east of Xenia, about one half farm land, inquire of J. A. Finney, Guardian, Xenia, Ohio.

MONEY TO LOAN—On farms, at five per cent interest. Write W. L. Clemens, Cedarville, Ohio.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 46

CHattel—Loans, notes bought, 2nd mortgages. John Harbino, Allen Building.

PARTS, SERVICE, REPAIRING 51

GEORGE HOLSTEIN—Auto wreckers, parts for all cars. S. Collier St., Phone 337E-2.

USED CARS FOR SALE 54

BETTER USED CARS—Belden & Crawford, Dakota Bldg.

### USED CARS FOR SALE 54

JOHNSTON USED CAR DEPT.—1 1924 Ford coupe, 1 1924 Ford sedan, 1 1924 Star touring, 1 1923 Ford touring, 1 1923 Ford touring, 1 1924 Ford touring, 1 1924 Ford touring, 1 1924 Ford touring.

LANG'S USED CARS—1 1925 Ford coupe, good paint, 1 1926 Chevrolet coupe, bargain, 1 1926 Chevrolet coupe, Green St.

GOOD USED FORDS—1 1924 Ford coupe, good paint, 1 1921 Ford sedan, new paint, 1 1920 Ford touring, 1 1921 Ford touring, 1 1920 Ford touring, 1 1920 Ford touring, 1 1920 Ford touring.

LEGAL NOTICE

Conforming to Sections No. 2716-2717, General Code of Ohio, The Board of Greene County Commissioners, Xenia, Ohio, invite and will receive proposals from Depositors covering period of three years from March 1, 1927 at the office of the County Commissioner in the Court House Xenia, Ohio, at 12:00 o'clock noon on Monday, February 15, 1927.

Proposals shall stipulate the rate of interest on active and inactive deposits, not less than one per cent on active average daily deposits and not less than two per cent on inactive average daily deposits. He paid for the use of the money of the County.

Each proposal shall contain the names of the Sureties or the Securities or both, that will be offered to the County in case the proposal is accepted.

Greene County Commissioner, (Feb. 17-24) Geo. C. Stokes, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 319

FIXING THE SALARY OF THE CITY AUDITOR AND THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE WATER WORKS.

WHEREAS, heretofore by ordinance, duly passed, the City Commission provided that the position of City Auditor and Superintendent of the Water Works might be held by one and the same person; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to provide for the daily operation of each of the aforesaid municipal departments, there exists an emergency which requires that this ordinance shall take effect and be passed at the time hereinafter described;

WHEREAS, it is necessary to fix the salary and apportion the payments of the same;

NOW THEREFORE, he it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Xenia, State of Ohio, in SECTION 1. That until otherwise provided for, the salary of the said Auditor and the Superintendent of the Water Works be and hereby is fixed at \$2,600.00 per annum, payable monthly as follows:

From the General Fund, \$2,400.00.

From the Water Works Department, \$200.00.

SECTION 2. That this ordinance shall be effective from and after the 15th day of February, 1927.

SECTION 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same hereby are repealed.

Passed this 10th day of February, 1927.

S. MILTON McKAY, President City Commission.

Attest: T. H. Zell, Clerk, City Commission. (Feb. 15)

CONVICT PAIR

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 16.—Post office inspectors here today were notified of the conviction in Pittsburgh of C. W. Sample, of Columbus, O., and Mrs. Loretta Meyer, of Pittsburgh, who were apprehended here last fall on charges of promoting a fraudulent advertising scheme.

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## DEATH IN ELECTRIC CHAIR TO BE SOUGHT FOR BRUTAL KILLER

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husband, a railroad man, was at work. He told the sheriff that Mrs. Brown slapped his face when he made an improper advance, and "this made him mad." He attacked her, and when she seized the poker to defend herself, he wrestled it from her grasp, and beat her to death.

The battered bodies of the wife and child were found by Brown early yesterday on his return home from work.

The youthful prisoner has been removed to the county jail at Jefferson, to avoid possible mob violence, as feeling is said to run high against the slayer in this community.

According to Hewitt's police confession, made Tuesday, after authorities had confronted him with a button ripped from his own coat, he committed the crime Monday shortly before the midnight hour, after becoming temporarily crazed by music from the radio.

According to H. D. Hannum, county detective, who played a prominent part in the Orwell kidnapping case some months ago, and who is given credit for the confession, the boy gave him the following summary of events leading to the murders:

"I went to the Brown home about 7:15 p. m. The radio was playing jazz, Mrs. Brown and I were sitting on the davenport. I made some advances. I seemed to be intoxicated with music and love. Mrs. Brown struck me. She then grabbed a poker and struck me again. I took the poker from her and beat her with it. She ran but I followed and beat her again and again until she fell.

"The boy, Fred, let out a scream and I hit him too. I carried him to the basement. Then I came back and hit Mrs. Brown again to make sure she was dead. Then I washed my hands and went home to bed."

Floyd Hewitt is very large for his age. Although only 16 years of age, he stands over six feet in height and is of very husky build.

In the face of overwhelming evidence, Floyd's mother will not believe her son guilty. She claims the lad did not leave his home on the night of the murders.

According to Hewitt's school records, he was a well-behaved boy.

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## MOVING PICTURES AT KIWANIS MEET

Scenes taken by his brother, Dr. Charles Galloway, Evanston, Ill., near Tryon, N. C., and in Washington state during a bear hunt, were shown by W. W. Galloway, Cedarville, with the aid of a small moving picture machine, at Xenia Kiwanis Club, Tuesday evening, at the Elks



# FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

## Just AMONG US GIRLS

by Kathryn Kenney

This is the time of year when everything is so dead you can stick your pins any place. The sun goes down on most sunny dispositions when the water creeps in over the tops of galoshes. This is the peevish six weeks when conductors demand two-fares and the butcher throws in his wrist with the lamb chops. If you want to get good measure you have to dance the black bottom and what a measure that is to tread.

February and March are great for pneumonia, running out of coal and running into fenders. It is the time when you come home to greet the family and find that it isn't being done this year. It's the hush before the storm, because women are just about ready to stop their window shopping and open the windows, and, incidentally, charge accounts.

You just have to make things last until father and the roof get the favor to call time off in February. Presidents should be picked with an eye to scattering the national holidays.

However, this time of the year is just a reaction from the Christmas trade—trading a necktie for a handkerchief! Everybody is just getting over color blindness from some of the combinations, but the Easter eggs will set them off again.

When all the men are back to smoking plain-tipped cigarettes and all the patent lighters need filling it's a sure sign that we're getting back to normal. But this time a little of the bitterness over what you received for Christmas has worn away. Time heals everything especially where you keep things out of sight.

These are the weeks for the blues when the bluebird is very much white-washed. People should really be taking their vacations



**IT'S ALL OVER NOW**

a raise at the same time. It takes a hard head to give your family a soft life.

Most of the gossip of the year starts during these months when it's too early to clean house and too late to tell them not to sit in the dust. Everything is on everyone's nerves from the slush outside to the slush inside.

Because some of the young people think that bad weather means good petting they have simply put flivver up on the jacks and take it out of the sofa.

This is the "period" in-between holidays when everyone goes into a "coma." It's a little early to keep anything under your Easter hat and too late to put it in the Christmas stocking.

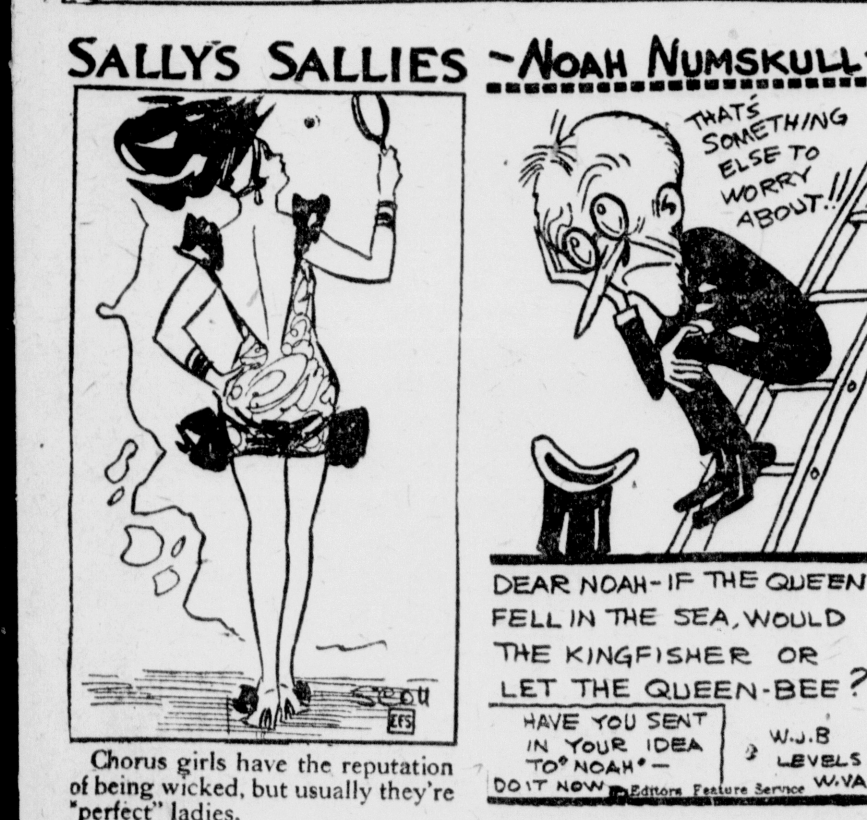
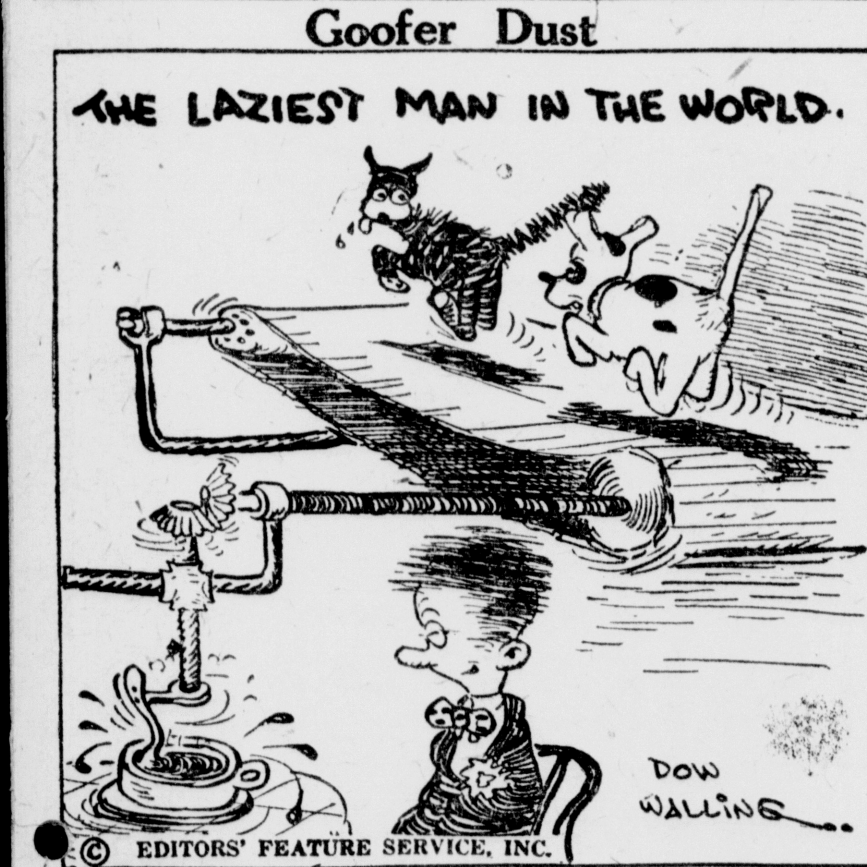
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now, even if they have to pay for them later on.

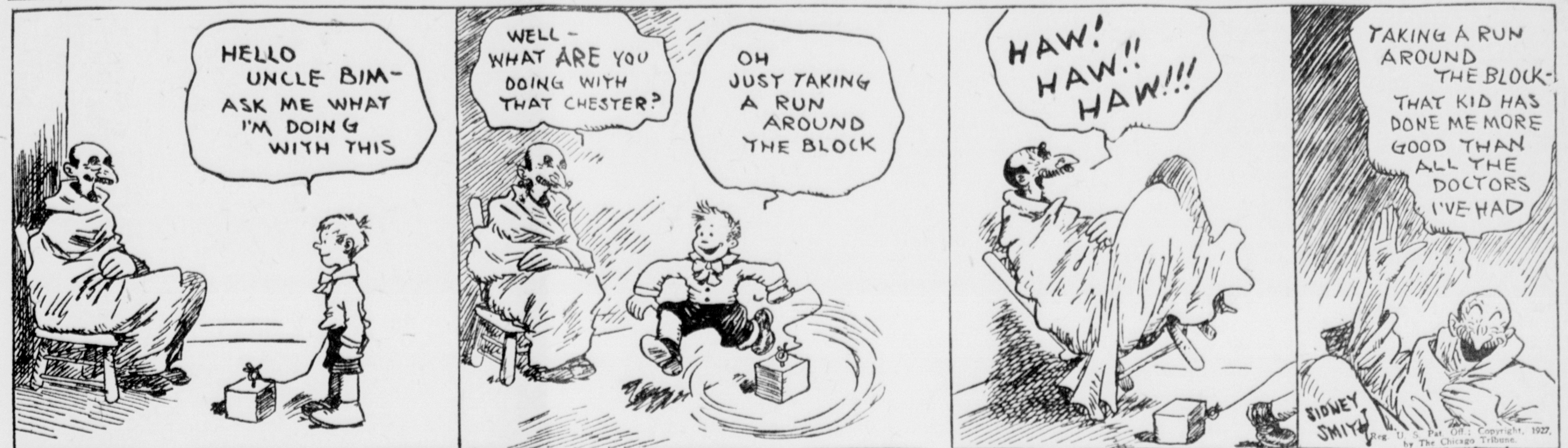
The only thing that is worse than being poor is having to act like it. Women don't like this mid-season in the least. The winter clothes are breaking out and it's too early to break in the spring ones.

Those who live through February and March stand a good chance to keep going until summer and then it's so hot they have to slow down anyway.

Everybody has a feeling that it's all over now and they're just wondering how to end it all when the first robin gets the first worm and everyone is inspired to go out and do likewise. It's always darkest before the dawn; ask any night club man, and it's also always more expensive.



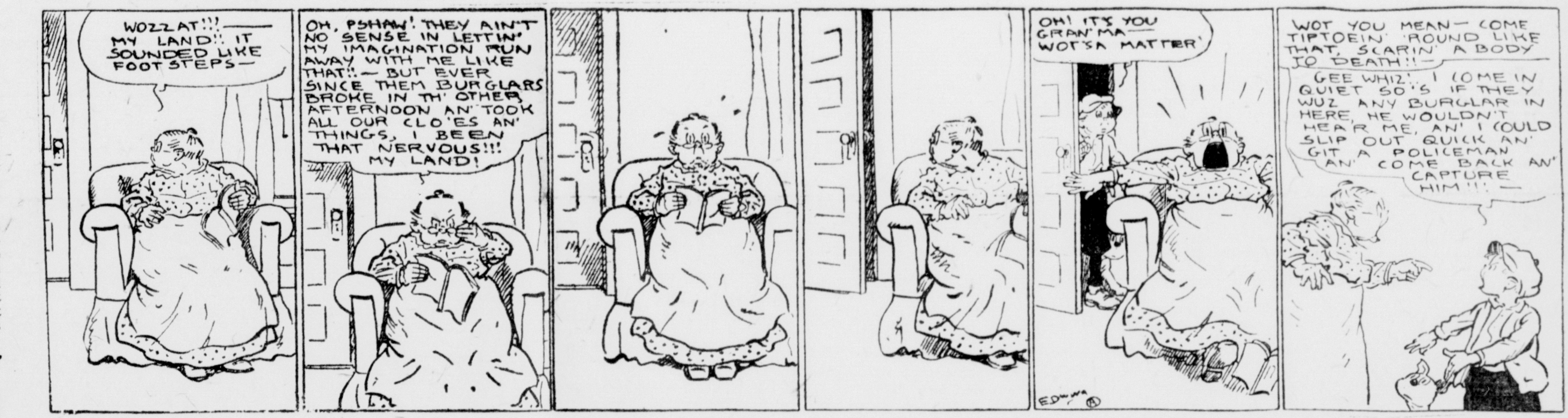
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